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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PGOV, BQG, ETEL, ITU
SUBJECT: ITU: SOVIET NOTE ON BERLIN

REFS: (A) BONN 6770
(B) GENEVA 5438

1. AT THE APRIL 25 BONN GROUP MEETING, AD REF AGREEMENT
WAS REACHED ON THE FOLLOWING TEXT OF AN ALLIED REPLY
TO THE SOVIET STATEMENT REPORTED IN REF B.

BEGIN TEXT

A. THE PERMANENT MISSIONS OF FRANCE, THE UNITED KINGDOM
AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRESENT THEIR COMPLI-
MENTS TO THE INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS ORGANIZA-
TION AND, WITH REFERENCE TO A NOTE DATED 27 JANUARY
1978 FROM THE EMBASSY OF THE USSR CONCERNING THE EXTEN-
SION BY THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY TO THE WESTERN
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SECTORS OF BERLIN OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON
TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF MALAGA-TORREMOLINOS, HAVE THE
HONOR TO STATE THE FOLLOWING.

B. THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE AND
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WISH TO POINT OUT THAT THE
SOVIET NOTE REFERRED TO ABOVE CONTAINS AN INCOMPLETE

AND THEREFORE MISLEADING REFERENCE TO THE QUADRIpartite
AGREEMENT OF 3 SEPTEMBER 1971. THE PROVISION OF THE
QUADRIpartite AGREEMENT TO WHICH REFERENCE IS MADE
STATES THAT "THE TIES BETWEEN THE WESTERN SECTORS OF
BERLIN AND THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY WILL BE
MAINTAINED AND DEVELOPED, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THAT
THESE SECTORS CONTINUE NOT TO BE A CONSTITUENT PART OF
THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AND NOT TO BE GOVERNED
BY IT".

C. (USUAL COMPLIMENTARY ENDING)

END TEXT

2. ACTION REQUESTED: THAT DEPARTMENT APPROVE THE TEXT
IN PARA 1 SUPRA AND AUTHORIZE MISSION GENEVA TO COORDI-
NATE WITH THE BRITISH AND FRENCH MISSIONS ON ITS
DELIVERY.
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